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## STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant respectfully inquires as to the status of the above-identified application.

This application was filed on September 21, 2006 and applicant's attorney has not yet received an Examiner's communication from the Patent Office since the filing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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